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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application Number : 10/594,969 Confirmation No.: 1288  
Applicant : KADOWAKI, *et al.*  
Filed : September 29, 2006  
Title : ADIPONECTIN EXPRESSION-INDUCING AGENTS AND  
USES THEREOF  
TC/Art Unit : 1647  
Examiner: : Elly Gerald STOICA  
Docket No. : 68600.000002  
Customer No. : **21967**

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Commissioner for Patents

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.312**

Sir,

In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed January 26, 2010 ("Notice of Allowance"), please amend the application as follows:

This Amendment is provided in the following format:

**Listing of the Claims** begin on page 2; and

**Remarks** begin on page 4.